

EQUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Cherokee Lane at Hale Road, Traffic Signal

MEETING DATE: April 1, 1992

PREPARED BY: Public Works Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council direct City staff to proceed on the

traffic signal installation on Hale Road at Cherokee Lane, appropriate \$100,000 from the Federal Aid Urban (FAU) Fund for the project, and approve an amendment to the Transportation

Improvement Plan.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: Pedestrian safety on Cherokee Lane at Hale Road has been

the subject of a number of Council discussions over the past few years. The City has followed accepted traffic engineering principles in the addition of various safety

improvements. These have included warning signs, no-parking **zones** to improve visibility, increased enforcement and, most recently, an overhead flashing beacon and sign.

With the recent pedestrian/auto accident. this location ranks as the highest pedestrian accident location in the City. The next practical safety improvement is a traffic and pedestrian activated signal. Staff planned to offer this project for consideration in the 1992/93 budget. However, with the recent accident and the passage of the latest federal transportation bill (The Intermodal Surface Transportation Act of 1991) which we only recently learned of Lodi's allocation, we are recommending that we proceed on this project. Depending on the length of the federal review process, the signal should be installed before the end of 1992.

In closing, staff wishes to remind the Council and the public that a traffic signal cannot physically stop a car. Pedestrians must still remain alert when crossing a screet, even when they are "protected" by a red light.

FUNDING: \$100,000 Federal Aid Urban (FAU) Fund (12670).

Jack L. Ronsko

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Prepared by Richard C. Prima, Jr., Assistant City Engineer

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cc: City Attorney

Assistant Engineer - Traffic

Interested Parties

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THOMAS A PETERSON City Manager

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RESOLUTION NO. 92-55

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL DIRECTING CITY STAFF TO PROCEED WITH THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL INSTALLATION AT HALE ROAD AND CHEROKEE LANE, AUTHORIZING FUNDING, AND APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PLAN

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Lodi City Council does hereby direct City staff to proceed with the installation of a traffic signal at Hale Road at Cherokee Lane; and

BE IT RESOLVED, that Council hereby authorizes the appropriation of 5100,000 from the Federal Aid Urbac (FAU) Fund for said project; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Council hereby approves an amendment to the Transportation Improvement Plan to recognize said traffic signal installation.

Dated: April 1, 1992

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 90-192 was passed and adopted by the Lodi ${\it City}$ Council in a regular meeting held April 1, 1992 by the following vote:

Ayes:

Council Members -

Noes:

Council Members -

Absent:

Council Members -

Alice M. Reimche City Clerk

CITY COUNCIL

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Marla **Donavan** 827 Lloyd Lodi, CA 95240

SUBJECT: Cherokee Lane at Hale Road, Traffic Signal

Dear Interested Party:

Enclosed is a **copy** of background information on an item that will be discussed at the City Council meeting on Wednesday, April 1, 1992, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the City Council Chamber. Carnegie Forum. 305 West Pine Street. You are welcome to attend.

If you wish to **communicate** with the City Council, please contact Alice **Reimche**, City Clerk, at (209) **333-6702**.

If you have any questions about the item, please call Richard Prima or me at (209) 333-6706.

k L. Ronsko Dic Works Director

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Enclosure

cc: City Clerk

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Ayes: Council Members - Hinchman, Pennino, Sieglock, Snider

and Pinkerton (Mayor)

Noes: Council Members - None

Absent: Council Members - None

Alice M. Reimche

City Clerk